

BETHEL PARKS & RECREATION

Activities for Spring 2016

Check out our
ONLINE REGISTRATION
At www.bethel-ct.gov

- *Go to the Parks and Rec. Department
- *Click on the NEW Program Registration Link

Online registration opens
Saturday, February 6th
at 1:00pm

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND
IN PERSON REGISTRATION BEGINS
SATURDAY, February 6th
From 9:00am-12:00pm

*****NO REFUNDS AFTER FIRST CLASS *****
Cancellations must be made in writing.



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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

WINTER REGISTRATION

DATE: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH
TIME: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
LOCATION: PARK & RECREATION OFFICE
DEADLINE: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND

***Please note: The Municipal Center will be closed on Monday, February 15th for Presidents Day.**

All participants must be registered before the first day of the program. Once a program has begun no registrations will be accepted.

SPRING SPORTS REGISTRATION

Registration for **Baseball, Soccer and Lacrosse** are done **online through their websites.**

Youth Softball and Women's Softball will begin taking registration Saturday, February 6th from 9:00-12:00pm.

DO NOT fill out a Parks & Rec. registration form for these spring sports as they each have a special form of their own, available at that registration.



OFFICE HOURS

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Please note: The night staff is not permitted to take registrations or payments.



MAIL IN REGISTRATION

Mail in or drop off registration will not be processed until Monday, February 8th and could be subject to a waiting list.



LATE FEE

A \$10 late fee per program will be assessed for all registrations submitted after the deadline date. *Programs may reach maximum capacity before the deadline date – early registration is recommended.*

NON-RESIDENT

Registrations for non-residents will not be accepted until February 17th for an additional \$15.00 fee per quarter.

AGE REQUIREMENT

Children must meet the age requirement within the session of the program for which they're registered. Proof of age may be required.



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT



Participants ages 60 and up are eligible for a \$10 discount **per person** (not activity), excluding trips and health exercise classes under \$50.00.

DEPARTMENT POLICY

All Bethel Parks and Recreation programs are inclusive. We are committed to assuring equal access to programs, activities and services to all individuals. During the course of our programs we may be, at times, taking photos or filming the activities and its participants for instructional purposes or Public Television. For more information, please contact the office at 794-8531.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If Bethel schools are cancelled or have an early dismissal due to weather, all Parks and Recreation programs will be cancelled. Athletic fields may close due to inclement weather. Cancellation information may be obtained by calling us at 794-8531 and choosing option #1.

****Missed classes will be made up at the end of the session.****

WEEKEND CANCELLATIONS

Please contact your SPORTS ASSOCIATION or COACH.

Bethel Baseball Association

www.bethel-baseball.com

Bethel Youth Soccer Association

www.bethelsoccer.org

Bethel Softball Association

www.leaguelineup.com/bethelsoftball

Bethel Youth Lacrosse Association

www.bethellacrosse.com

Bethel Youth Football

www.bethelyouthwildcats.com

Bethel Youth Wrestling

www.BethelYouthWrestlingClub.com



REFUND POLICY /RETURN CHECK

Return check charge fee is \$28.00. All refunds are subject to a \$10 administration surcharge.

If the Parks & Recreation Department cancels a program a full refund is given. No refunds will be given after the first class, unless extenuating circumstances arise.

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NYSCA CLINIC & Background Check

All parents interested in coaching or helping out with any sports **MUST** be certified by the NYSCA, and have a yearly background check. You may renew, add a sport or take the initial clinic online. You will need your membership number if you're currently certified.

You can find a link on how to get NYSCA certified, and the link to our online background check on our website:

1. www.bethel-ct.gov
2. Go to the Parks and Rec Department
3. Under Additional Links click on "Coaches Certification and Background Check"



Please contact our office if you have any questions at 203-794-8531.

Special Events



Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Join the Parks & Recreation Department at the Municipal Center on Saturday, March 19th. Additional activities include a visit from the Easter Bunny, and our annual jellybean counting contest!

Stop by the office beginning March 1st to make a guess. We will announce the winner at the conclusion of the Easter Egg Hunt. The fun begins at **10:00 a.m.** for children in preschool through 4th grade.

Kids Coloring Page

CALLING ALL KIDS!

Join in on the Parks & Recreation fun coloring activity. Show us your coloring skills using the spring picture included in this flyer, return it to the Parks & Recreation office between March 2nd and March 18th, and it will be posted in the Municipal Center hallway. At the time it's dropped off, you will receive a participation candy prize.

Summer Camp Information

Summer Camp 2016

As a convenience to our residents, **REGISTRATION** for Summer Camp will begin **Monday, April 25th**.

Information regarding camp dates and fees will be distributed through the Board of Education email system during the month of March.



Summer Employment

Bethel Parks and Recreation is accepting applications for **potential** summer employment opportunities. If you enjoy working with children and are looking for a summer job, come and apply as a camp counselor.

Applicants must be 16 years old and able to commit to the entire camp schedule. Apply at the Parks and Recreation office in the Municipal Center. Applications **MUST** be received by Friday, April 1st.

Counselor in Training

This is a counselor in training program for boys and girls who are 15 years old or going into 10th grade and who would like to gain experience working with children.

This is a **volunteer program**; individuals must express a desire to work with children and want to learn how a summer playground program operates. Interested individuals may pick up an application at the Parks and Recreation office and be able to commit to two weeks of camp. Application deadline is May 13th.

Adult Programs

Bethel Women's Softball

Registration for the summer 2016 Woman's Softball League begins Saturday, February 6th from 9:00-12:00.

PLEASE USE THE WOMAN'S SOFTBALL REGISTRATION FORM, AVAILABLE AT REGISTRATION, **NOT** THE PARKS & RECREATION FORM.

Checks should be made payable to "Bethel Women's Softball League". Registration forms are available online at <http://www.eteamz.com/BethelSoftballWomen/>.

Registration ends May 20th - all registrations after this date will need to be reviewed and approved by the board.

Must be 18 by May 31st, 2016

FEE: \$ 45.00 resident & non-resident



Art for Adults

An art class for adults of various levels, instruction will be given on both an individual and class basis.

Beginner students are welcome and participants may work in the medium of their choice. Contact Adele at 744-7690 with any questions.

Day: Monday Date: 3/7-5/2 (8 wks.)
Time: 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. No Class: 4/18
Fee: \$75.00 Place: Senior Center Ceramics Rm.
Instructor: Adele Moros

Zumba

Ditch the workout, join the party! Zumba is a Latin-inspired, dance fitness class that incorporates Latin and international music and dance movements, which creates a dynamic, exciting and effective fitness system. An average class can burn from 500-800 calories!

This class is open to **ages 15 & up**. A minimum of 20 participants is required. Please wear aerobic fitness or dance sneakers and bring water and a towel.

Day: Monday Date: 3/7-5/9 (8 wks.)
Time: 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. No Class: 3/21, 4/18
Fee: \$80.00 Place: Municipal Center G.P. Room
Instructor: Ariana Mesaros



Adult Programs, continued

Pilates

Strengthen core muscles through controlled movement and breathing. Pilates leads to improvement in posture, flexibility and body awareness. Modifications provided for all levels. Please bring a yoga mat, towel and one set of 2-5 pound weights.

Day: Wednesday Dates: 3/9-5/4 (8 wks.)
Time: 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. No Class: 4/20
Fee: \$80.00 Place: Municipal Center Stage
Instructor: Debbie Nichols



Body By Bethel

Have fun with a certified personal trainer leading you in a Total Body Workout designed to increase your strength, balance and flexibility.

We use weights, medicine balls, steps, balance disks, and bands.

Minimum of 10 participants per class.

Day: Tues. & Thurs. Dates: 3/8-5/5 (16 classes)
Time: 9:00- 10:00 a.m. No Class: 4/19, 4/21
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Penny Cidri

Shape UP-Get Ready

Get ready to tone your abs, arms, buns and legs and get a killer cardio workout using combinations of all types of weight work and cardiovascular challenges.

The class provides overall physical conditioning that can improve endurance, strength, flexibility, coordination and balance.

Minimum of 10 participants per class.

Day: Tuesday Dates: 3/8-5/3 (8 classes)
Time: 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Place: Municipal Center G.P. Room
Fee: \$45.00 No Class: 4/19

Tai Chi Ch'uan - Breath, Relax, Enjoy

Learn the healing Art of Tai Chi and Qi Gong. This ancient Chinese system is a gentle form of physical exercise that consists of slowly flowing movements and shifts of balance that strengthen and condition the entire body.

These movements train you for balance and body awareness, leading to confident ease of movement in everyday life. Tai chi and Qi Gong is safe for all levels of physical ability! Just some of the benefits of practicing Tai Chi and Qi Gong regularly:

Reduced Stress	Gentle Aerobic Exercise
Reduced Blood Pressure	Improved Immune Function
Reduced Risks of Injury	More Efficient Breathing

Ages: 18 & Over

Day: Thursday Dates: 3/10-5/5 (8 classes)
Time: 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. No Class: 4/21
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Stage

Instructor: Nancy Ryan, 20 years experience studying and practicing Tai Chi and presently teaches weekly at Ann's Place – The Home of I CAN in Danbury.

Martial Arts

Lil Dragons (Ages 5-6) **

Junior Beginners (Ages 7-12)**

****This program is a one time ONLY sign-up. If you have taken this class in the past – you cannot take it again.****

This program will introduce your child to the great benefits of the martial arts like focus, discipline, respect, physical fitness, confidence, self-defense and safety. The drills and skills are age and maturity specific and the kids have a great time while doing it. **Class is twice a week.**

Days available: (Must write down which 2 days)

Lil Dragons ages 5-6

Mon. 4:30-5:00
Tues. 5:45-6:15
Wed. 4:30-5:00
Thurs. 5:45-6:15
Fri. 4:30-5:00



Junior Beginners ages 7-12

Mon. 5:00-5:45
Tues. 6:15-7:00
Wed. 5:00-5:45
Thurs. 6:15-7:00
Fri. 5:00-5:45

Dates: 3/7-5/13

No Class: 3/25, 4/18-4/22

Fee: \$69 (6 weeks)

Place: Karate America

Students must purchase a uniform from Karate America before starting the program; please call: 203-792-1050

Maximum: 20 students

Youth Sports

Youth Sports

Come join an after school youth sports program to introduce and play a variety of sports. Children **grades K-3** will learn a variety of sports such as soccer, floor hockey, kickball, and wiffle ball. Each week will bring a new activity. Class sizes are limited. Instructor: Park and Rec. Staff

Berry School

Grades K-1

Day: Wednesday Dates: 4/6-6/1 (8 wks.)
Time: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. No Class: 4/20
Fee: \$60.00 Place: Berry School Gym

Grades 2-3

Day: Tuesday Dates: 4/5-5/31 (8 wks.)
Time: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. No Class: 4/19
Fee: \$60.00 Place: Berry School Gym

Rockwell School

Grades K-1

Day: Monday Dates: 4/4-6/6 (8 wks.)
Time: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. No Class: 4/18, 5/30
Fee: \$60.00 Place: Rockwell Gym

Grades 2-3

Day: Thursday Dates: 4/7-6/9 (8 wks.)
Time: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. No Class: 4/21, 5/5
Fee: \$60.00 Place: Rockwell Gym



Children's Self Defense

r.a.d (resist aggression defensively) **KIDS** is a personal empowerment safety education class for children in **grades K-3**, that strengthens family, encourages physical fitness and teaches core safety values to live by through its program.

Fun, activity-based programs include lecture, safety drills, muscle memory exercises and dynamic simulation with a focus on personal safety at home and school, realistic defense against abduction, good-bad-uncomfortable touch, stranger awareness and personal empowerment. Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers as there will be some low-impact physical activities. Class is LIMITED to 10.

Days: Tuesday Dates: 4/5-5/31 (8 wks.)
Time: 4:00-5:00p.m. No Class: 4/19
Fee: \$15.00 Place: Berry School Cafeteria
Instructor: Detective Lynn Morris, Bethel Police Dept



American Red Cross



Babysitting Course

American Red Cross Babysitting Course for any youth **11 years old and up**. The class will offer students all the necessary tools to become a reliable and safe babysitter.

Students will learn basic childcare, safety precautions, child development, appropriate toys and more. Students will receive a handbook with all the information needed to serve as a reference.

Please bring a lunch and drink to class. Participants have to meet requirements of the course to receive certification.

Day: Saturday Date: 5/14
Time: 9:00 –3:00 p.m.
Fee: \$70.00 (supplies included)
Place: Senior Center Ceramics Room
Instructor: Peggy Boyle



Infant and Child CPR Class

Infant and Child CPR course incorporates the latest science and teaches students to recognize, care and respond to a variety of breathing and cardiac emergencies to help victims.

Participants, **18 years and over**, who successfully complete this course, will receive certification for Infant and Child CPR valid for two years.

Day: Saturday Date: 4/30
Time: 9:00 –3:00 p.m.
Fee: \$70.00 (supplies included)
Place: Senior Center Activity Room
Instructor: Eileen Earle

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Gymnastics



Fun with Tumbling

This class is an introduction to all phases of gymnastics for children **3 & 4 years old**. Tumbling, vault, bars and beams will be explored.

Children will be divided into groups and rotate among the equipment with instructors. Note: This is a parent **drop-off** class and children must be potty trained.

3 year olds

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5-5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00 – 9:45 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center G.P. Rm.

4 year olds

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5-5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:45 –10:30 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center G.P. Rm.
Instructor: Becca Lienhardt

Fun with Gymnastics

This class offers further exploration on all four apparatuses in gymnastics. Children will be divided into skill levels and rotate in groups among floor, vault, beam and bars.

Girls in the ages 7 & up class are encouraged to wear leotards with shorts, pants or tights and wear long hair pulled back. Boys may wear typical gym attire.

5 & 6 year olds

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5-5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 10:30–11:30 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$65.00 Place: Municipal Center G.P. Rm.

Ages 7 & up

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5-5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 11:30–12:30 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 4/26, 4/23
Fee: \$65.00 Place: Municipal Center G.P. Rm.
Instructor: Becca Lienhardt



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Tennis

Bethel welcomes back Camp Director Greg Sansonetti for his ninth season alongside his exceptional adult staff. Greg, based in Fairfield County, brings 20+ years worth of tennis teaching experience. For more information on Bethel tennis programs, contact Greg at 203-414-9453 or 203-916-3013 or visit www.fairfieldcountytennisset.net

Pee Wee Clinic: Ages 3-4. Focus is on the development of hand-eye coordination in fun game situations

Junior Tennis Camp: Ages 5-7 & 8-12. The focus will be on forehand, backhand, volley and serve. Campers will also have the option to participate in cross-training sports for 20 minutes. Children should bring a nut-free snack.

Junior Tennis Clinic: Ages 13-16. Beginners/Advanced Beginners will focus on forehand, backhand, volley and serve in game situations. The Advanced Beginners will continue to develop their strokes in game situations.

EARLY SPRING TENNIS

Classes will be held on **SATURDAYS** at the Tennis courts by the HS baseball field. Minimum of 3-4 participants.

Session #1 Will be held on March 26, April 2 & 9. (3 weeks)

Session #2 Will run from April 30 – June 4 (5 weeks)
No Class 5/28

RAIN MAKE-UPS:

Session #1 April 30th

Session #2 Rain make-up extends session.

NO CLASS DATES:

Session #2 May 28th



PEE WEE CLINIC

Session #1	Fee: \$40	11:15-11:45 am
Session #2	Fee: \$65	10:30-11:00 am

JUNIOR TENNIS CAMP

Session #1	Fee: \$95	11:45-1:45 pm
Session #2	Fee: \$155	11:00-1:00 pm

JUNIOR TENNIS CLINIC

Session #1	Fee: 65	1:45-2:45 pm
Session #2	Fee: \$105	1:00-2:00 pm



Non-residents: Additional \$15 fee per program.
Bring own racquet or racquets are available for sale through instructors.

****Weekend cancellations/after hours at 203-283-5629****

Art & Performance Programs

Children's Fine Arts



These exciting art classes cover everything from drawing to painting, sculpture, and mixed media. Kids in **grades K-3** are invited to come get their creative juices flowing and join in the fun!

The instructor provides all supplies, so all you need to do is come to class! Our goal is to help develop your own style and most important, to have fun creating beautiful pieces of artwork that are an extension of your own individual creativity!

Day: Thursday Dates: 3/10-5/5 (8 wks.)
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. No Class: 4/21
Fee: \$75.00 (supplies included)
Place: Senior Center Ceramics Room
Instructor: Adele Moros



Art for Children

This exciting and creative art class is geared towards young artists in **grades 4 – 8** who enjoy drawing and painting!

Students will have FUN using pastels, watercolors and tempera in development of their individual talents. Composition, design, color and technique are also emphasized. If you really want to improve your drawing and painting skills, then this is the class for YOU!

Day: Tuesday Dates: 3/8-5/3 (8 wks.)
Time: 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. No Class: 4/19
Fee: \$75.00 (supplies included)
Place: Senior Center Ceramics Room
Instructor: Adele Moros

Let's Act!!

In this dynamic 8-week class students will enhance their creativity and build confidence while learning the fundamentals of theater through a variety of activities including improvisation and theater games.

Students should wear comfortable clothing and come prepared to have fun!! Classes are in the Municipal Senior Center Cafeteria.

Grades 4 - 8

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5-5/7 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:30-10:30 a.m. No Class: 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$75.00
Place: Senior Center Cafeteria
Instructor: Beth Salvador

ACTING
For Young Actors

Dance Programs

Seven Star School of Performing Arts

The Seven Star School of Performing Arts is committed to today's complete performer. They care as much about training young performers as they do about educating responsible, dynamic leaders.

Dress Code

Girls, pink leotard with tights, pink ballet/jazz shoes, and tan tap shoes.

Boys, black shirt, black shorts or pants and black shoes.

All Classes will be on the Municipal Center Stage.



Broadway Babies

This introductory program for **ages 3-4 years** old is designed to enhance rhythm skills, coordination, musicality and a genuine love for the art of dancing, singing and acting.

The 2-hour class contains ballet, tap, tumbling, singing and acting. Please bring a light snack. There will be a parent observation during the last class of the session.

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 10:15 -12:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 11:15 -1:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Fee: \$130 Instructor: Jacqueline Madera

Pre-Dance

This introductory class for children **ages 3-4 years** old is designed to enhance rhythm skills, coordination, musicality and a genuine love for the art of dance.

Basic ballet, tap and tumbling skills are offered in this one-hour class. There will be a parent observation during the last class of the session.

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 10:15 -11:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 12:15 -1:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Fee: \$85 Instructor: Jacqueline Madera

Hip Hop

This class will introduce a series of hip hop moves set to modern, trendy, and age appropriate music. **Dress Code** for both boys and girls: comfortable clothing and sneakers. There will be a parent observation during the last class of the session.

Ages: 5 – 7

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 5:30 – 6:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Ages: 8 – 11

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 7:15 –8:00 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22
Fee: \$65 Instructor: Jacqueline Madera

Dance programs, continued

Ballet, Tap, Jazz

Basic ballet, tap and jazz will be taught during this class. This is an introductory program designed to enhance coordination, rhythm and musicality. There will be a parent observation during the last class of the session.

Ages: 5 – 7

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 4:30-5:30 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22

Ages: 8 – 11

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11-5/13 (8 wks)
Time: 6:15-7:15 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22
Fee: \$85 Instructor: Jacqueline Madera

Saturday Dance!

These dance classes from Seven Stars will run for **8 weeks**, and will conclude with a **parent observation during the last class**.

All classes will be on the Municipal Center Stage.

Ballet & Tap

Basic ballet and tap will be taught during this introductory 8 week class for children ages 3 – 4. This class is designed to enhance rhythm skills, coordination, musicality and a genuine love for the art of dance!

Ages: 3 & 4

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5 – 5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00-9:45 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23

Ages: 3 & 4

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5 – 5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:45-10:30 a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$65 Instructor: Janet DePaul



Jazz & Hip Hop

Basic jazz moves will be taught, and hip hop moves set to modern, trendy, and age appropriate music.

Dress Code for both boys and girls is a black t-shirt, black shorts or pants and black sneakers.

Ages: 7 & older

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5 – 5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 10:30-11:30a.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23

Ages: 5 & 6

Day: Saturday Dates: 3/5 – 5/14 (8 wks.)
Time: 11:30-12:30p.m. No Class: 3/19, 3/26, 4/23
Fee: \$85 Instructor: Janet DePaul

Toddler Programs (Parent stays)

Tot Tunes

A musical program for children **18 months – 3 years** old. The children will learn songs, poems and finger plays, play rhythm instruments and move to music while developing rhythm, coordination and listening skills.



Parents will accompany the child in class. Classes are limited to 12 children per class.

Day: Thursday Dates: 3/10 – 5/5 (8 wks.)
Time: 10:00-10:30. No Class: 4/21
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center Stage



Mix-it-up

This fun and exciting program will combine both arts and crafts with fun activities and is open to all 2-2 ½ year olds and their parent.

It will be a great way for **both you and your toddler** to meet and make new friends.

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11 – 5/13 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00 –10:30 a.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22
Fee: \$65.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono

Just You & Me – Fun with Games

Open to all **2– 2 ½ year olds**. This fun and exciting program will introduce games such as red light-green light, duck, duck goose, tag, parachute games and many more.

Come have an ACTIVE and **fun time with your child** in a safe and controlled environment.

Day: Wednesday Dates: 3/9 – 5/4 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00 –10:00 a.m. No Class: 4/20
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono



Story Time Crafts

This class is for children ages **2 ½ - 3 ½ years old**. The children will enjoy a fun morning listening to a story. They will then make a craft that relates to the story they just heard!

Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.
CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11 – 5/13 (8 wks.)
Time: 10:30–11:45 a.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22
Fee: \$65.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono

Preschool Programs (Drop Off)



Crafts on the Go

Children ages **2 ½ - 3 ½ years old** will enjoy a story and related craft followed by gym time to run and play with their friends.

Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.

CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Monday Dates: 3/7 – 5/2 (8 wks.)
Time: 11:30-1:00 p.m. No Class: 4/18
Fee: \$70.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono



Lunch Bunch

Children ages **2 ½ - 5 years old** bring lunch or a snack, eat with your friends and unwind on a fun afternoon filled with free play, art projects and other fun games.

It's all about fun! So come and have a good time.

Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.

CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Thursday Dates: 3/10 – 5/5 (8 wks.)
Time: 11:45–1:00 p.m. No Class: 4/21
Fee: \$65.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono

Games for Tots

Children ages **2 1/2 - 5 years old** will learn and play fun playground games. Come play games such as red light-green light, duck duck goose, tag, parachute games and many more.

Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.

CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Friday Dates: 3/11 – 5/13 (8 wks.)
Time: 12:00 –1:00 p.m. No Class: 3/25, 4/22
Fee: \$60.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono



Preschool Programs (Drop Off)

Creative Movement

Enjoy a variety of activities from moving to various types of music. We use the parachute, balls and beanbags, tell stories and do crafts.

Open to all **2 ½ -5 years olds.**
Must be of age by January 1st, 2016.



Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.
CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Monday Dates: 3/7 – 5/2 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00-11:30 a.m. No Class: 4/18
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono



Fun On The Run!!

Open to all **2 1/2 - 5 year olds.** This is an open gym/free play activity, where your child will have an opportunity to burn off some energy with all their friends.

Activity stations will be out in the gym, and children will have the freedom to move to each activity. There will be some organized activities, such as parachute games, red light green light, and more!!

Please note that **parents do not stay** for this program.
CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Monday Dates: 3/7 – 5/2 (8 wks.)
Time: 1:00-2:30 p.m. No Class: 4/18
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym

Day: Thursday Dates: 3/10 – 5/5 (8 wks.)
Time: 1:00-2:30 p.m. No Class: 4/21
Fee: \$55.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono

Preschool Programs (Drop Off)

Creative Tiny Tots

This is a creative preschool program for boys and girls **ages 3 - 5 by March 31, 2016** that will involve an introduction to letter, numbers, shapes, colors, craft projects, stories, games and music.

Children should bring a small snack with them.

CHILD MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Day: Tuesday Dates: 3/8 – 5/3 (8 wks.)
Time: 9:00 –11:30 a.m. No Class: 4/19
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym

Day: Tuesday Dates: 3/8 – 5/3 (8 wks.)
Time: 12:00 –2:30 p.m. No Class: 4/19
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym

Day: Wednesday Dates: 3/9 – 5/4 (8 wks.)
Time: 10:00–12:30 p.m. No Class: 4/20
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym

Day: Wednesday Dates: 3/9 – 5/4 (8 wks.)
Time: 12:30 –3:00 p.m. No Class: 4/20
Fee: \$85.00 Place: Municipal Center Gym
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono

Spring Break Preschool Camp

A daily camp program for **children ages 3 - Kindergarten. (3 year olds must be 3 by May 30, 2016)** Children will be separated by age the first day of camp.

Activities will include arts and crafts, games and various activities. Please bring a lunch & snack daily. Camp will be held at the Municipal Center.

Children must be potty trained.

Day: Mon. – Fri. Dates: 4/18 - 4/22
Time: 9:00 –1:30 p.m.
Fee: \$125.00
Place: Municipal Center GP Room
Instructor: Sharon DiBuono





www.bethelsoccer.org

P.O. Box 178, Bethel, CT 06801

2016 Spring Season Registration

<u>Registration:</u>	Pay with a credit card on the Bethel Soccer website: www.bethelsoccer.org until April 2, 2016.
<u>Ages:</u>	4 ½ by the start of the season through 8 th grade.
<u>Amount:</u>	\$80 per child (\$160 per family maximum - (excluding travel soccer fees). Checks should be made payable to "BYSA". Late registrations are subject to space limitations.
<u>Schedule:</u>	Saturdays: April 9 th – June 11 th , (Excluding Memorial Day) 8:30-10:00am (Boys 2 nd -3 rd grade) – Majors 8:30-10:00am (Girls 2 nd -3 rd grade) – Majors 9:00-10:30am (Boys Pre-K/K) – Rookies 10:00-11:30am (Girls Pre-K/K) – Rookies 10:15-12:00pm (Girls 4 th -8 th grade) -- Seniors 10:15-12:00pm (Boys 4 th -8 th grade) – Seniors 11:00-12:30pm (Girls "Experienced K"/1 st grade) – Minors 12:00-1:30pm (Boys "Experienced K"/1 st grade) – Minors

The *Intown Recreational Program* has various leagues broken down by age group starting with the beginners learning the basics of soccer through fun, interactive ballgames and small field competitions and continuing through our full field leagues for children up through the 8th grade. Spring clinics will be offered in March.

Girls Director:	Nick Vitti Jr.	203-297-3356	nvittijr@yahoo.com
Boys Director:	Kevin Kurtz		kwkurtz@gmail.com
Intown Program Director:	Matt Chamberlain	203-744-0324	mattchamberln@aol.com

Note- Travel Teams are already formed for spring 2016 however there may be a few openings for new players.
Please contact betheltravelsoccer@gmail.com if you are interested.



BYSA TOPSoccer

The Soccer League for Children with Special Needs

Bethel Youth Soccer Association and the Bethel Parks and Recreation Department are excited to offer a soccer program exclusively for our special needs athletes! Don't miss this amazing opportunity for your child!

The goal of BYSA TOPSoccer is to provide all children with intellectual and physical disabilities the opportunity to play, learn and benefit from the game of soccer in a FUN, safe and caring environment.



We have partnered with the Danbury Youth Soccer Club to provide a program that is designed to bring the opportunity of learning and playing soccer to any boy or girl with special needs. TOPSoccer will meet once a week on Saturday for 8 weeks each Spring and Fall, at Kenosia Soccer Park in Danbury at 4 PM for 90 minutes. Children, ages 5 to 19, will be introduced to soccer games, skills, drills and friendly scrimmage with players of similar abilities. Trained staff and "buddies" will assist the athletes. Parents are asked to be available during the sessions to assist our volunteers. **THE PROGRAM IS FREE! Each player receives a soccer T-shirt and soccer trophy for participation!**

**Space is LIMITED
START DATE IS APRIL 23rd
Register at Bethel Park & Rec
Mon - Fri 8:30 - 4:30
203-794-8531**

Join us if:

- You are five years old (or turn five this year) through high school.
- You have physical or cognitive disabilities that prevent you from playing with a local recreational team.
- You have a desire to get off the sidelines and into the game!



Become a Buddy! Community Service hours available to volunteers 13 years and older! Contact Park & Rec for more info!

BETHEL SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

www.leaguelineup.com/bethelsoftball

Bethel girls interested in playing softball in the spring should register on:
Sat. Feb. 6th, 2016 from 9:00-12:00 at the Municipal Center Park and Rec. office.

Girls must play BSA in the spring in order to be eligible to try out for a summer travel team.

**Please use the softball registration form available at registration or on-line,
NOT the Parks & Rec. form. Make checks payable to BSA.**



SENIOR LEAGUE: 7th grade and up
JUNIOR LEAGUE: 4th, 5th, 6th grades
MINOR LEAGUE: 2nd and 3rd grades
TEE LEAGUE: PreK 4, K and 1st grades

****All leagues will have some games with other town teams.****

ALL PLAYERS MUST SIGN UP AT THIS TIME.

LATE SIGN UPS (at Park and Rec.) **ARE** subject to a waiting list.

Up to twelve girls will be taken for each team in Senior, Junior and Minor League and up to ten for Tee teams.

Deadline for sign ups is February 20th unless there are openings.

FEES: There will be a \$65 charge for one registrant or \$80 per family. Fee includes a shirt and visor.

Grey uniform pants are to be provided by parents. They are available at Rankin Sporting Goods, Sports Authority in Danbury and at directsports.com.

PLAYERS MUST BE FULLY UNIFORMED IN ORDER TO PLAY.

NO REFUNDS OTHER THAN H.S. PLAYERS WILL BE ISSUED.

APPAREL

If you are interested in Bethel Softball jackets, sweatshirts, pajama pants, t-shirts or socks apparel, flyers will be at Registration, and through our website.

Any questions, contact Lisa Bono at lisabono623@hotmail.com

Order forms are available on the website.

PARENT INFORMATION

- **Joining a softball team is a commitment to a coach and fellow team members.** Please be sure your child's current activities will not conflict with practices (2x/week in April) and games (2x/week in May/June). Please be considerate of coaches' time and pick your daughter up promptly after clinics, practices and games.
- Any parent wishing to coach or assist a team may indicate so on the registration form or let us know at registration. All coaches **MUST** be certified and pass Background Checks. Both can now be done online.

BETHEL BLAST TRAVEL TEAMS

A competitive level of girls fast pitch softball

The Bethel Blast is made of competitive teams for girls between the ages of 9 and 14. Each team is organized as part of Bethel Softball and competes in the Fairfield County Fast Pitch Softball League (FCFSL) which is comprised of travel teams from towns all over Fairfield County. Each team also plays in competitive tournaments.

While our teams for next season have already started working out, there are still available spots on some teams. If you are interested in softball at a more competitive level of play, contact Travel Coordinator, Kathleen Banks at

Kathleen@marienugent.com.



BETHEL BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

www.bethel-baseball.com

CAL RIPKEN BASEBALL (ages 4 ½ -12) BABE RUTH DIVISION (AGES 13 – 15)

In Person REGISTRATION: Held on Saturday, February 6, 2016 in the
Municipal Center Parks and Rec. Office from 9:00-12:00p.m.

*PLEASE USE THE **BASEBALL REGISTRATION FORM**, AVAILABLE AT REGISTRATION,
NOT THE PARKS & REC. FORM.

Checks should be made payable to "BBA".

All registrations after February 6th will be done ONLINE ONLY.
If you require financial aid please contact Kurt Dyer at kurtrdyer@aol.com.

ONLINE REGISTRATION: Go to the Website -- www.bethel-baseball.com

FEES:

- This registration fee includes hats, uniforms, equipment, and umpires.
- \$125.00 for T-Ball.
- \$135.00 for Rookie Prep
- \$150.00 for Rookie, Minor and Major Leagues.
- \$175.00 for Babe Ruth League.
- **THERE WILL BE A FAMILY MAXIMUM FEE OF \$225.00**
- **A LATE REGISTRATION FEE OF \$35.00 WILL BE ADDED TO THE REGISTRATION AFTER March 1, 2016.**
- **No sign-ups will be accepted at Evaluation Days.**
- **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR ANY REASON.**

LEAGUE INFORMATION

ALL NEW PLAYERS MUST BRING PROOF OF AGE.

League and Fee Breakdown determined by child's age as of 4/30/2016

T-Ball	4 - 6	05/01/2010 - 04/30/2012	\$125
Rookie Prep	6 - 7	05/01/2009 - 04/30/2010	\$135
Rookie	7 - 8	05/01/2007 - 04/30/2009	\$150
Minors	9 - 10	05/01/2005 - 04/30/2007	\$150
Majors	11 - 12	05/01/2003 - 04/30/2005	\$150
Babe Ruth	13 - 15	05/01/2000 - 04/30/2003	\$175
Babe Ruth	16 - 18	05/01/1997 - 04/30/2000	\$175
Families of two or more			\$225

EVALUATION DAYS

WILL BE POSTED ON THE WEBSITE – www.bethel-baseball.com

PLEASE VOLUNTEER

MANAGERS/COACHES ARE NEEDED IN ALL LEAGUES – LET US KNOW AT REGISTRATION.
PARENTS ARE ALSO NEEDED TO ASSIST IN RUNNING YOUR CONCESSION STAND.

For more information please go to the Bethel Baseball Website.

BUSINESSES

**SIGN AND TEAM ADVERTISEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE AT MITCHELL PARK – please email:
dans43@att.net**



Bethel Youth Lacrosse is now accepting registration for the 2016 season for all boys and girls grades 2-8

All registrations can be completed at www.bethellacrosse.com

Look for the REGISTER ONLINE tab on the left hand side of the home page.

NEW FOR 2016:

- **EARLY REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS.** A lot of planning and scheduling with area towns take place in January so knowing how many teams and the competitive level of each, will allow us to better manage the process. We are also introducing new custom uniforms and fittings will need to take place early to mid-January.
- **REGISTRATION PAYMENT PLAN OPTION!** – with the early registration requirements BYLA recognizes the need to offer a low initial registration payment and subsequent payment plan:

\$75 time of registration / \$75 due Mid Feb/ \$80 due Mid March or
one-time payment of \$230.00 at time of initial registration.

- **NEW CUSTOM SUBLIMATED UNIFORM SETS FOR BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS!**

New Custom sublimated uniform sets are included in this year's registration costs and are for the players to keep and can be used year after year or until they grow out of it!! If you do not need to purchase a uniform in the following year(s), you will only pay the seasonal rate. (Currently \$175.00)

Boys Shooting Shirts are optional and available for purchase for an additional cost.
Ordering will take place during uniform fitting.

***WE ENCOURAGE ALL PLAYERS TO REGISTER BY JANUARY 29th TO SECURE PROPER UNIFORM SIZING!**

*Late Registrations after this date will result in an additional **\$35.00 late fee.***

Rental Protective Equipment Option for New Players - BOYS under age 11 as of 8-31-2015.
Limited to BYLA in stock quantities.

\$35.00 fee with option to purchase at seasons end.

Winter Clinic at the Danbury Sports Dome

We will be running our 3rd Annual Winter Clinic at the Danbury Sports Dome.
The session will run for 6 weeks, 1 hour each week consisting of conditioning, stick-work and fundamental drills.

Age: grades 2nd – 8th

Cost: \$75/per player

Dates / Times: Sundays starting 2/14/2016

Boys 5pm-6pm; Girls 1-2 pm 2/21, 2/28, 3/6 and 4-5 pm 2/14, 3/13, 3/20

To register please go to:

www.bethellacrosse.com

Bethel Supercross BMX

Mitchell Park - Old Hawleyville Road.....go to www.bethelbmx.com for more information

Behind the baseball fields



Our 34th Season Open House April 23rd

**Rider Registration and
Orientation - 1-3 pm**

Membership in USABMX is required
Cost is \$60 for 1 year for 1st family member
Copy of Birth Certificate and parent attendance

More dates to follow check our website

Season begins May 4th

Sanctioned by **USABMX**

Racing will be held every WEDNESDAY from May 4th through August 31st.

Race Day registration: 4:30—6:15 ★ Race Day practice: 5:00—6:45 ★ Races begin 7:00

New riders may sign-up at the track any time during the season. Copy of Birth Certificate is required.

Parent(s)/legal guardians of minors must be present.

All racers will need sneakers, full face helmet, long sleeve shirt, long pants, and BMX bike.

Bethel has one of the best BMX tracks in New England. Riders of all ages, 3-60+, compete for trophies and other awards. Track, state, regional and national recognition is given. Our program is fully supervised.

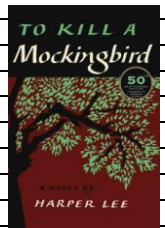
Information: Don or Kathy Olson - 203-744-7962 (home) 203-798-6373 (track)

Spectators are always welcome at no charge.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: www.bethelbmx.com

FEBRUARY– APRIL, 2016 PROGRAMS AT THE BETHEL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Feb. 1	6:30-7:45 pm	Song and Story with Lenny Levine.*
Feb. 3	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
Feb. 3	6:00-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Squishy Circuits. Sponsored by the Connecticut State Library (CSL) and the Institute for Museum and Library Services (IMLS).*
Feb. 3	6:30-7:45 pm	Foundations of Investing with Financial Advisor Helen Curtin.*
Feb. 4	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #1 with InnerACT Theatre. Sponsored by CSL and IMLS.*
Feb. 5	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Terrific Two's Program-for kids age 2 accompanied by a parent/caregiver. No registration required.
Feb. 6	10:00am-5:00pm	Take Your Child to the Library Day! 11:00 am Magic Show with Vanilla Swirl the Clown. Kids ages 4-8 with adult. Registration required.*
Feb. 6	10:15-11:45 am	New! Poetry Group for Adults (age 21 +). Registration required and limited to 12.*
Feb. 7	2:00-3:00 pm	Books and Bricks for Kids. Registration required.*
Feb. 8	6:30-7:00 pm	PJ Storytime-for kids ages 3-8 without adults. No registration required.
Feb. 8	6:30-7:45 pm	Evening Book Discussion at the Library: Rebecca by Daphne Du Maurier
Feb. 10	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
Feb. 10	6:30-7:30 pm	Knights Chess Club-for Grades 4-7 who understand rules of the game.*
Feb. 11	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #2 with InnerACT Theatre. Sponsored by the CSL and IMLS.*
Feb. 16	1:30-3:00	Kids Movie Day.*
Feb. 17	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
Feb. 17	6:00-7:45 pm	Writers Group Meeting for Adults age 21+. Limited to 10 attendees.*
Feb. 17	6:15- 7:45 pm	Teen Writing Group #1 for Grades 9-12. Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS.*
Feb. 17	6:30-7:45 pm	Mini-Masters-Kids Art Series-Session 2-For kids Grades 2-5. Registration required.*
Feb. 18	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #3 with InnerACT Theatre. . Sponsored by CSL and IMLS.*
Feb. 19	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Terrific Two's Program-for kids age 2 accompanied by a parent/caregiver. No registration required.
Feb. 20	10:30-11:0 am	Family Storytime-for kids ages 3-8 with a parent/caregiver and siblings. No registration required.
Feb. 22	6:30-8:00 pm	Purposeful Destiny: Overcoming Obstacles with author and Licensed Clinical Social Worker Joan Hoey.*
Feb. 24	10:15-11:30 am	Morning Book Discussion at the Library: Rebecca by Daphne Du Maurier
Feb. 24	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
Feb. 24	6:15-7:45 pm	Teen Writing Group #2 for Grades 9-12. Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS.*
Feb. 24	6:30-8:00 pm	Protect Yourself: Know Your Consumer Rights with the CT Money School and CAHS.*
Feb. 24	6:30-7:30 pm	Pages Chess Club-for Grades 1-3 who understand the rules of the game. *
Feb. 25	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #4 with InnerACT Theatre. . Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS. *
Feb. 26	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Terrific Two's Program-for kids age 2 accompanied by a parent/caregiver. No registration required.
Feb. 27	10:15-11:30 am	Teen Crafts.*
Feb. 29	6:30-8:00 pm	Teen Program: Leap Day Cosplay Party.*
March 2	10:30-11:00 am	Winter Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
March 2	6:00-7:45 pm	Teen Writing Group #3 for Grades 9-12.. Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS.*
March 3	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #5 with InnerACT Theatre. Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS.*
March 6	2:00-3:00 pm	Books and Bricks for Kids. Registration required.*
March 9	6:00-7:45 pm	Teen Writing Group #4 for Grades 9-12. Sponsored by the Connecticut State Library CSL and the IMLS.*
March 9	6:30-7:30 pm	Knights Chess Club-for Grades 4-7 who understand rules of the game.*
March 10	4:30-5:30 pm	Magic Tree House Book Discussion and Storycraft Hour. For Grades 1-3. Registration required.
March 10	6:45-7:45 pm	Teen Program: Making the Musical #6 with InnerACT Theatre. Sponsored by the CSL and the IMLS.*
March 14	6:30-7:00 pm	PJ Storytime-for kids ages 3-8 without adults. No registration required.
March 14	6:30-7:45 pm	Evening Book Discussion at the Library: Cloud Atlas by David Mitchell.
March 16	6:00-7:45 pm	Writers Group Meeting for Adults age 21+. Limited to 10 attendees.*
March 16	6:30-7:45 pm	Mini-Masters-Kids Art Series-Session 3-For kids Grades 2-5. Registration required.*
March 19	10:30-11:00 am	Family Storytime-for kids ages 3-8 with a parent/caregiver and siblings. No registration required.
March 20	1:00-5:00 pm	Teen ComicCon.*
March 23	6:30-7:30 pm	Pages Chess Club-for Grades 1-3 who understand rules of the game.*
March 23	6:30-7:45 pm	Quarterly Classic Book Discussion: To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
March 28	6:30-7:45 pm	Gardening Program: Gardening With Self-Watering Containers. Sponsored by the Bethel Garden Club*
March 30	10:15-11:30 am	Morning Book Discussion at the Library: Cloud Atlas by David Mitchell.
March 30	10:30-11:00 am	Spring Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
March 30	6:00-8:10 pm	Classic Movie-To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee. Not Rated.*
April 2	10:15-11:45 am	New! Poetry Group for Adults (age 21 +). Registration required and limited to 12.*
April 3	2:00-3:00 pm	Books and Bricks for Kids.*
April 4	6:30-7:45 pm	Gardening Program: Secrets of the Cutting Garden. Sponsored by the Bethel Garden Club*
April 6	10:30-11:00 am	Spring Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
April 8	10:30-11:00 am	Spring Terrific Two's Program-for kids age 2 accompanied by a parent/caregiver. No registration required.
April 11	6:30-7:45 pm	Evening Book Discussion at the Library: The Light Between Oceans by M. L. Stedman
April 11	6:30-7:00 pm	PJ Storytime-for kids ages 3-8 without adults. No registration required.
April 11	6:30-7:45 pm	Gardening Program: Ecological Landscaping. Sponsored by the Bethel Garden Club*
April 13	10:30-11:00 am	Spring Pre-School Storytime-for kids ages 3-5 without adults. No registration required.
April 13	6:30-7:30 pm	Knights Chess Club-for Grades 4-7 who understand rules of the game.*
April 14	4:30-5:30 pm	Magic Tree House Book Discussion and Storycraft Hour. For Grades 1-3. Registration required.
April 15	10:30-11:00 am	Spring Terrific Two's Program-for kids age 2 accompanied by a parent/caregiver. No registration required.



*Requires registration.

Most programs take place in the Maria Parloa Community Room, Cady R. Morse Conference Room, and the Children's Programming Room at the Library, 189 Greenwood Avenue, Bethel, CT. Call 203-794-8756 ext. 4 for more information, or go to the Library's website at www.bethellibrary.org.

All programs sponsored by the Bethel Public Library are open to the public, and meet accessibility requirements for the disabled.

Those needing special accommodations should contact the library at least two weeks prior to the program date to make arrangements.